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Mr. Kevin Willis
Airport Safety Certification Specialist
Federal Aviation Administration
800 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 619
Washington, DC 20591

Dear Mr. Willis:

In response to your Question under Section I, which was:

The applicant's response indicated that the US Bank determined that there was sufficient collateral to issue a letter of credit. What does the bank consider to be the source of this collateral?

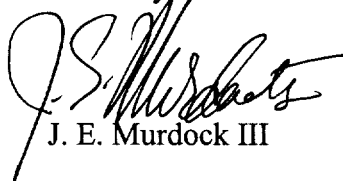
On Behalf of AAC and AAL, we submit the following commitment of AAC

AAC will support the request of AAL for a Letter of Credit with assets of adequate value, if needed, to satisfy the financial institution(s) that would issue a Letter of Credit.

AAC's certified financial statements are already part of the record and are adequate to support a Letter of Credit of \$1,000,000 and more.

Gerry Metzger will provide the responses to the questions under Sections IV and VI, both of which will accept the solutions suggested by your question.

Sincerely,



J. E. Murdock III

Enclosure

cc: Gerry Metzger

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